

We do not count a man's years until he has nothing else to count.

Reflections

4th of July

By J. Hugh Shertey, Jr.



Do more than shoot firecrackers and hang out the flag; put that flag under the microscope of your emotions. Look at the Stars! Are they merely white spots on a field of blue or can you see 150 million men, women and children following the handful of soldiers who gave that flag to them?

Watch these men and women as they follow their daily pursuits; see them hurry to work and their happy faces as they return to the homes they own. See their smiles at a picnic. Watch the children troop to Sunday Schools; listen to the bells pealing their invitations to worship in the church of their choice. See the Voting Booths. Those people are choosing one of many men. See the padlocked boxes where they deposit their secret ballots; now those ballots are being counted—think Fellow-countrymen! That flag is all you have between chaos and freedom; hang it reverently. Celebrate the day with reverence in your heart.

4th of July is the focal point of the woof and warp of everything we hold precious. Our flag is the symbol, a symbol of the successful conclusion of a war fought for an ideal—Freedom.

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MISS DONNA LOUISE BAER

Donna Baer, J. E. Davis Troth Revealed at Party

Miss Donna Louise Baer surprised her sorority sisters when she passed the traditional box of chocolates to announce her engagement to James Edward Davis. The news was revealed at a recent Delta Sigma Chi-sponsored barbecue.

Donna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Baer of 1308

Cota avenue, was graduated from Torrance High School with the class of 1948. Miss Baer, a psychology major, is completing her first year at El Camino Junior College.

The bridegroom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison C. Davis of Lomita and a graduate of Yoncalla High School, Yoncalla, Oregon.

PROFESSIONAL WOMEN TO LEAVE FOR CONVENTION

About 35 members and guests enjoyed the dinner meeting of the National Business and Professional Women's Club of Torrance held Monday evening in the Persian Room in Wilmington, with Mrs. Willis Brooks and Miss Blanche Bowman as co-hostesses.

An interesting feature of the evening was the presentation by Dr. Charles LaFrance of a Kodachrome travelogue of Mexico. Members are requested to note that the regular business meeting in July will be held on the tenth, which is a week later than usual, giving the delegates to the national convention an opportunity of reporting immediately upon their return rather than wait a month

for the next business meeting. All members who wish to draw "Whosits" names are asked to attend the next business meeting.

State President Dorothy Donahoe has announced the candidacy of Mrs. Eunice G. Hennessy of San Francisco for the office of recording secretary of the National Federation. The Biennial Convention will be held from July 3 to 7 inclusive.

Wednesday evening, July 5, will be dedicated to successful women from California and the highlight of the program will be the personal appearance of Rosalind Russell, star of Columbia Pictures, Inc. Miss Russell will be presented with a scroll of appreciation by the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc., for her outstanding example of a successful career woman and her many fine portrayals on the screen of business and professional women. There is to be a coast-to-coast broadcast over NBC Wednesday night, July 5, when Miss Russell will play the lead role in a half-hour documentary program paying tribute to women's progress in the last half century.

Presentation of the award to Miss Russell will be made on the air by Dr. K. Frances Scott, president of the National Federation. All members are requested to check their local newspapers for time of this broadcast, which will originate from station KNBC, San Francisco. Miss Verna Porter, president of the Torrance club and Mrs. Anna Sandstrom are planning to leave Sunday July 2 for San Francisco to attend the National Convention, according to Helen Williams, news service chairman.

Success of Party Told by Chairman

Mrs. Marie Bankston, past oracle of Torrance Camp, Royal Neighbors of America, who served as chairman during June and headed the monthly card party committee, wishes to thank all who so generously assisted her in making the party a success. A substantial sum was cleared for the lodge treasury, she reports.

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The Torrance girls returned Monday evening from the Conference, which they reported was attended by girls from all over California, Nevada, New

Mexico, Alaska, and even Hawaii. After the reports have been given, guests at the meeting are invited to have refreshments in the yard of Mrs. Minnie Solomon's home, 1451 Post avenue.

First conference for junior high Y-Teens of the Southern

California area will be held July 1-8 at the YWCA camp, Tahquitz Meadows, near Idyllwild. Emma Valencia and Phyllis Schneider are being sent as delegates from the Y-Tartarete Y-Teen Club. They will leave by chartered bus from the Long Beach YWCA Saturday morning.

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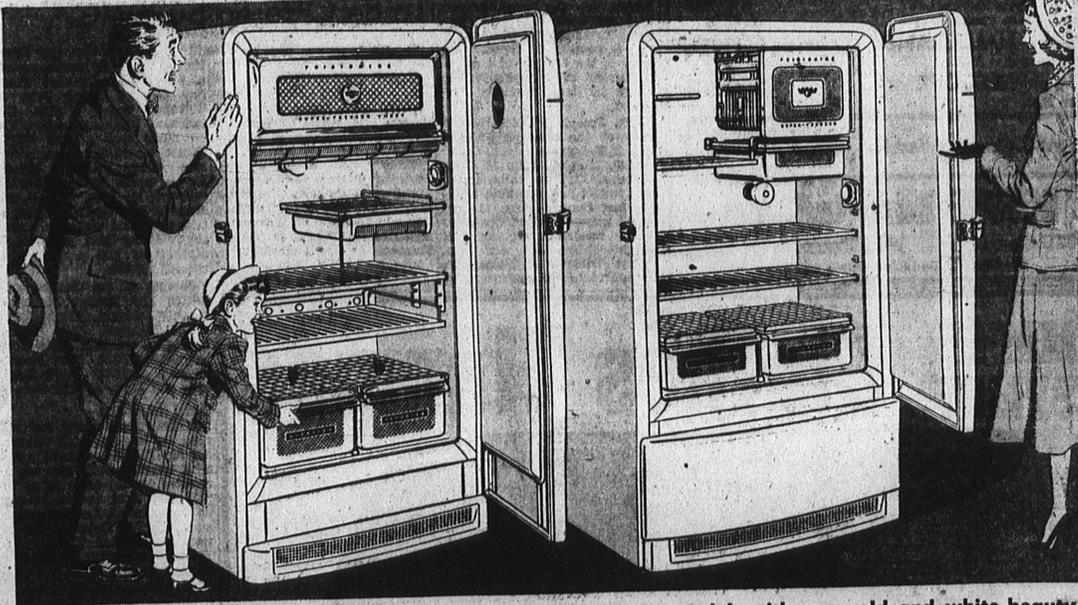
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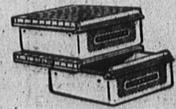
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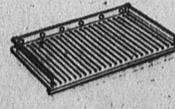
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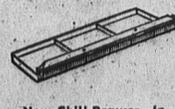
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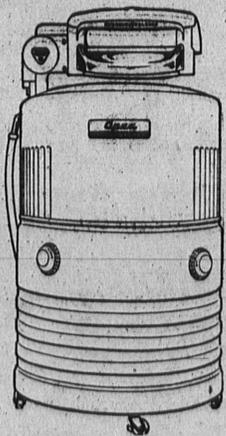
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